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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
Northern District of California
San Francisco

DANIEL SPALDING, et al.,
v.
CITY OF OAKLAND, et al.,
Defendants.

No. C 11-02867 TEH (LB)

**ORDER DIRECTING RESPONSE
FROM PLAINTIFFS RE:
DEFENDANTS' REQUESTS TO
APPEAR BY TELEPHONE AT
SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE**

A settlement conference before the undersigned is set for April 10, 2012. Notice, ECF No. 28. On March 27, 2012, Defendant Gregory Ahearn requested that he be allowed to appear at the settlement conference via telephone. Ahern Request, ECF No. 42. On March 29, 2012, Defendant Anthony Batts made a similar request. Batts Request, ECF No. 44. Given that the settlement conference date is fast approaching, the court instructs Plaintiffs to file either oppositions or statements of non-opposition to Mr. Ahearn's and Mr. Batts's requests no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 2, 2012. After receiving the documents, the court will rule on Mr. Ahearn's and Mr. Batts's requests.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 29, 2012


LAUREL BEELER
United States Magistrate Judge